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and our Canned Goods and Table Delicacies we procure from the most reliable and best manufacturers.

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is more complete than ever and invite one and all to come in and inspect it. All of the leading STAPLE and FANCY GROCERIES are to be found in our store, including all of the latest novelties, and we offer, for the first time in Columbus, the famous FERRISDALE CANNED FRUITS and VEGETABLES which are absolutely the best.

In fine Teas and Coffees, CHASE & SANBORN'S, as usual, take the lead. We sell the celebrated Log Cabin Maple Syrup and warrant it to be the best.

You will find our Queensware and Lamp department very complete and can easily find what you want. Persons buying in large quantities will do well to call on us as we have the right goods and will make the price right. Careful attention and courteous treatment accorded to all.

Telephone No. 26.

Eleventh Street, Columbus, Nebraska.

Columbus Journal.

WEDNESDAY, JULY 4, 1906.



DEPARTURE

10:00 a. m.	St. Louis and all points west.
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ST. LOUIS AND ALL POINTS WEST.

—Chicago Inter Ocean and Columbus Journal, one year, in advance \$1.75. If in some places in Nebraska Wednesday morning last the wind gave some evidences of cyclonic qualities.

—That intelligence by which we know anything is the same intelligence by which we shall know all that is to be known.

—Services will be held morning and evening in the Congregational church next Sunday by Rev. G. A. Munro of Milford.

—Dr. Clark makes a specialty of fine gold filling and preserving of the natural teeth. Office in North block, Thirtieth street.

—Grasshoppers (not the red-legged locusts) are reported pretty numerous over Nebraska, but as yet not causing any great damage.

—Prof. Sherman of North Bend, delivers a lecture on "Self-government in the Schools," methods by which pupil government can be used.

—Four trains of cars containing western horses passed through the city the other day, going to Sioux City. The freight on them was about \$20,000.

—The ladies of the German Reformed church invited their husbands and friends to a quiet picnic gathering at Jake Lewis' east of the city last Sunday.

—Otto Heuer tells us that Fred Stenger visited the school taught at London by Miss Oda Heuer. He and August Boettcher were ten days crossing the ocean.

—Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Buck of Bellwood are about to move to Cedar Bluffs, Kansas. Their many friends will be sorry to see them leave this part of the country.

—Miss Ruby Rickly started Saturday for a two months' visit to Detroit and Mt. Clemens, Michigan. Miss Eulala Rickly accompanying her as far as Omaha.

—Last Sunday afternoon, Rev. Dr. Puls of the Baptist church, at the Platte river, baptized Frankie Hockenberger, Minnie Stenbaugh and Nannie Franzell.

—There was a report last week that Patrick Murray had lost his life, being overcome by heat, but we do not learn that there was any foundation for the rumor.

—John E. Kyle's team ran away near Silver Creek Tuesday last week, throwing him out but not hurting him seriously. The horses kicked away from the buggy.

—Lost, last Thursday, supposed near the Long wagon bridge, or between Columbus and the bridge, a coat, containing papers valuable only to the owner, Frank Clark.

—Envelopes with your return card printed on them, for 50 cents a single hundred, for larger quantities, and different grades, call at THE JOURNAL office for prices.

—"Well," remarked a middle-aged man the other day to a gray-beard, "You are getting older every day." "Yes," replied the gray-beard, "just as much older every day as you."

—Linwood, Butler county, is generally regarded about as fertile a section as there is in Nebraska. The wheat prospect there is said to be twenty-five bushels to the acre.

—A nice, good steady rain Monday morning, from about 2 o'clock till daylight. There had been a slight shower about 9:30 the evening before, not enough to lay the dust.

—Joseph Metts, brought here Sunday week from Silver Creek to St. Mary's hospital for treatment for peritonitis, died Wednesday night, the body sent home Thursday morning.

—Dr. Clark, the dentist, does all kinds of dental work, crown and bridge work, artificial teeth, and all work guaranteed to give satisfaction. Office in North block, Thirtieth street.

—Sofa, wife of Robert Schmidt, died at her home across the river last Wednesday, aged 42 years. Funeral services were held Friday in the St. Joseph Catholic church, in Butler county.

—The steel rail crew now have their headquarters here, and in a few days the Columbus and Cedar Rapids branch of the Union Pacific will have a new steel rail track—Cedar Rapids Outlook.

—HERBINE clears the complexion, gives buoyancy to the mind, cures head-ache, regulates the liver, and is, in fact, a perfect guardian of the health. Price, 50 cents. A. Heintz and Pollock & Co.

—Columbus will celebrate in Schuyler the 4th. Last year Schuyler came up here in force, and we will exchange this year. We understand great preparations are going on for the occasion.

—Among those attending the convention at Kansas City was that of James Walsh, Judge Robinson, J. G. Becker, S. R. Ryan, Bert Ellis, Walter Phillips, C. Greenther, P. J. Hart, August Wagner.

—Business men who lack the vim, snap and vigor they once had, should use HERBINE. It will purify the blood, strengthen and invigorate the system. Price, 50 cents. A. Heintz and Pollock & Co.

—J. E. Hague, for the past two years Agent Cox's assistant in the E. & M. Dept., has been promoted to the position of agent at Germantown. Clyde McDowell of David City takes his place here.

—For sale—One Nichols-Shepherd engine with separator and independent steamer, in good condition. Inquire at E. P. Swearingen's in Polk county, near Clear Creek, or at this office. Easy terms. p-2

—The first of Bret Harte's "condensed novels" "The Jungle Folk," appeared in the Saturday Evening Post of June 30. This is one of his imitatively funny literary caricatures, and there are more of them coming.

—Those who live on farms are especially liable to many accidental cuts, burns and bruises which heal rapidly when BALLARD'S SNOW LINDIMENT is applied. Price, 25 and 50 cents. A. Heintz and Pollock & Co.

—A carload of freight for Central City parties, says the Nonpareil, was burglarized Tuesday morning of last week, supposed to be the work of tramps and does not say Schuyler. Considerable merchandise was taken, mostly clothing.

—Lee Bennett, on Sunday last in throwing off a belt at the panning-mill, had the first two fingers of his left hand so badly sliced that they may have to be amputated.

—C. H. Dietrich, the republican candidate for governor, was in the city Friday, getting acquainted with the people. He certainly made a good impression wherever he called. He will make an excellent governor.

—When the call for the firemen came Friday morning Will Zinsacker struck out, putting a towel in his pocket, illustrating the principle that when duty calls for department work, all thoughts of other work is for the time laid aside.

—An ice cream party will be given on the lawn at the residence of Adolph Jaeger, July 11th at 2:30 p. m. for the benefit of the German Reformed church. If the weather is bad, cream will be served the following day. Everybody is invited.

—Wednesday last Lawrence Hohl and Dwight Dickinson set out to the river for a bath, found two men near the east end of the Union Pacific Loop bridge on fire, which they promptly put out. Such acts are highly appreciated by the management.

—Rev. Dr. Puls went to Kearney this Tuesday for several days' visit with friends, to return in time for next Sunday morning's service. No preaching at the Baptist church in the evenings during July. Preaching, as usual, in the forenoons.

—A meeting of republicans held at the Council chamber, Wednesday evening last, by unanimous vote selected C. J. Garlow, Carl Kramer, Gus G. Becker and C. D. Evans delegates to the republican state league convention at Lincoln Thursday last.

—John Moffett was in the city Monday, and tells us that he recently sold John Lackey's farm of 160 acres to Franz Stracke at \$40 an acre; Stracke's 80 acres to Nick Schirz at \$40 an acre, and a farm in the same neighborhood to John Clausen, 120 acres.

—WANTED—One young man from Platte county, Neb., to prepare for the coming railway mail service examination. We furnish everything, including books and maps. Address, enclosing stamp, Inter-State Correspondence Institute, Cedar Rapids, Ia. 4t

—William Graves returned Thursday from the southeastern part of Nebraska, after a trip of nine weeks. Crops look good down that way, rain has been plentiful, and where he has been the apple crop is excellent, which many of our readers will be glad to hear.

—Rev. Butler of Columbus, the Episcopal minister, preached his first sermon here last Tuesday evening. Rev. Butler will have charge of the work at Monroe, Genoa and Fullerton. The brick is now on the ground for the new church building—Fullerton Post.

—The portrait of Will N. Hensley, jr., of this city appears in the Sunday Illustrated Bee, as the appointed candidate to the United States Naval Academy, Annapolis, Md., the appointment coming through Senator Allen. He will enter upon his duties early in September.

—There is no longer an excuse for anyone to endure the torture inflicted by piles when TABLET'S BUCKEYE PILE OINTMENT will cure them, a remedy so moderate in price and so effective. Price, 50 cents in bottles. Tubes, 75 cents. A. Heintz and Pollock & Co.

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Having just returned from the East, where I purchased a car of the finest BUGGIES and CARRIAGES ever shown in the city of Columbus, I will offer them at

PRICES TO SUIT THE TIMES.

The Latest Styles, Finest Quality, Largest Assortment of

Buggies, Spring Wagons, Surreys, Road Wagons

Ever shown to the people of Columbus and vicinity. If you are thinking of buying anything in that line it will pay you to call and examine these BARGAINS. I will also

Give Away Absolutely FREE one FINE BUGGY

(Can be seen in store at any time) for one dollar cash purchase or paid on account up to July 4th, drawing to be conducted by holders of tickets on that date. Ask for tickets with your purchase.

C. S. EASTON.

A GOOD TIME.

The American-Swiss Band will hold a Picnic and Dance

JULY 4

JOHN BORN'S GROVE

Six miles southwest of Columbus. The mill will appear in their fine new uniforms. Games and amusement for all. Everybody invited.

Notice!

I have appointed Mrs. A. J. Smith to represent my nurseries and she will take orders in my name and as my sole agent in Columbus. I wish it understood that Mr. Earl Simmons is no longer my agent. Any complaints of loss of stock must be given to Mrs. Smith. R. L. PATNE, 274th Schuyler Nursery, Neb.

We learn that a republican club of one hundred and two members was organized at Creston last week, John Morris, president; E. White, secretary; A. Peterson, treasurer. A quartette entertained the assemblage with songs, and a number went from Madison to the first meeting, says the Madison Chronicle.

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The Street Problem.

The Telegram tries to darken counsel by words on the street question, which has for weeks been the absorbing problem of the city, and is the very first paper which has lugged into the discussion a party name, evidently considering it a trifle or in some manner judicious to defend, where nobody had attacked, and it is unfortunate that a democratic editor should so far overstep the mark. In all the lengthy article of the Telegram, however, there is not a single reason given why any of the council voted as they did.

There is not a single reason given why any of the streets in the business heart of the city from K on the east to P on the west, inclusive, should be closed to general travel.

There is not a single reason given why P street should now be freed from a freight depot obstructing travel, and a like obstruction be placed across M street.

There is not a single reason given why the same general principles, whatever they may be, should not be applied to both streets.

Certainly "reasons were as thick as blackberries," the Telegram would have furnished at least a few, and yet it undertakes to read us a lesson on what it pleases to call "bull-dozing."

The Journal has called, time and again, for reasons, and has refrained from going into certain phases of the situation so long as there is any hope, whatever of a result based on the general welfare of the city, and we are pleased to say that there is yet hope, notwithstanding the fact that Mayor Held's veto is the first step in that direction. We could hope that next Friday evening may see our chief business streets entirely free from any menace of obstruction to travel, as they should be.

Uncle John Walker furnishes ten stanzas of verse on Missouri for the Platte County Democrat. We give two specimens:

"It's not strange here to see men fight,
From early dawn till late at night,
In a twinkling they would spoil your sight,
Oh say, see who they are, they can fight,
Down in Missouri."

God grant that the sun may shine
On every patriot in line,
Whose noble work will be a sign
That these hundred thousand votes for
Cryan, live in Missouri."

Aaron Cline, the Union Pacific flagman, had an extraordinary experience Wednesday night while going home about eleven o'clock. It was west of the round-house, and the last that he remembered was that somebody came up behind him. From indications he probably was struck with a sandbag, as the first consciousness came to him, and in a dazed condition he made his way home reaching there at half past twelve. Some six dollars was taken out of his pockets, and his watch snatched from its chain. The back of Mr. Cline's head was very sore the next day.

It seems that an inexperienced young fellow has a few rights left, when he comes to test them in court. The other day at Kansas City a young man hired a livery team for the purpose of taking his girl out riding, telling the livery man that fact. The team ran away, the owner sued the young man for damages, but the judge, who doubtless could appreciate the actualities of life, gave his decision in favor of the young man, saying it was the duty of the liveryman, under the circumstances and being advised, to provide him a team that could be driven safely with one hand. THE JOURNAL'S constituency not only includes judges, but liverymen as well as lawyers, and one of our duties is to keep track of at least the unusually interesting late court decisions.

At about 9:30 Friday morning fire was noticed in a room up-stairs in the Barber block three doors to the rear of Dr. Voss' occupied as a sleeping room by Jack Wiggins. It seems that a mattress had caught fire from a cigar, but Wiggins had put it out or was certain he had, and left the room for the morning. It was only a few minutes, however, after he left that Will Murdock, who occupied the next room north, noticed the smoke, broke in a door, dragged the burning mattress into the hall, where the fire was put out without much water or trouble, some of the woodwork being scorched, and Murdock being burned on the hands, and losing some clothing. E. D. Brink, chief of the fire department says they were ready to apply water in three seconds after the alarm was turned in. Certainly, it was fortunate the fire was so soon.

...THE PIONEER...

hasn't located all the desirable property—we've some choice bits on our books for sale at prices that appeal to the people of common sense. The properties are located in fertile sections, well watered and drained, handy to market and shipping points, and at our prices and terms are decided pick-ups.

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An Expert that Knows a Good Buggy

When he sees it will always tell you that there isn't a carriage made that has a running gear that is so easy working and comfortable as those made for us. They are the buggies that are in popular demand today for their low price and high class manufacture. Look at our bargains in farm implements.

HENRY LUBKER.

Barnum vs. Barnum.

Gay C. Barnum has brought suit against George E. Barnum and others on a contract claimed to be entered into March 1, 1894, leasing the plaintiff's stock farm south of the city to the defendants for five years, he furnishing teams, farm machinery, etc., and to receive one-half the profits. The plaintiff claims that George asserts title to all and refuses to account to plaintiff according to contract. Judge Robinson has granted a temporary injunction, restraining George from selling, encumbering or disposing in any way of the property in controversy pending the hearing.

George E. Barnum has filed a petition in the county court asking for the appointment of Hans E. Elliott as guardian of Gay C. Barnum, alleging that in 1897 Gay C. Barnum was adjudged insane and George A. Scott appointed guardian; that later Scott resigned but no other was appointed; that Mr. Barnum was confined in two other asylums since that, and that from one of them was discharged as cured; also that Mr. Barnum is really a widower, not being legally capacitated in his condition of mind to contract marriage.

Before the teachers' institute adjourned Friday, the county association was organized for the coming year, with E. C. Hicks as president and Mrs. U. S. Mace secretary.

The reading circle was also reorganized with sixty members, Sup't Leavy to act as executive committee.

The following resolutions were adopted. We, your committee on resolutions beg to submit the following: Be it Resolved, That we the teachers of Platte county in session at Columbus, extend our sincere and hearty thanks:

First—To the board of education who have so kindly granted us the use of their elegant new high school building. To the janitor for his faithful service in keeping the building nice and cool, which added greatly to our comfort.

Second—To our pianist who has so ably presided.

Third—To our county superintendent who has secured such able and efficient corps of instructors, and who has done everything in his power to make this session of the institute both pleasant and profitable.

Fourth—To our instructors who have labored so faithfully and diligently in our behalf. Be it further Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be left with the county superintendent and also published in the local press.

ISA E. MACLAREN, CAROL D. PARRIS, ANNE C. CARRIS, E. C. HICKS, Committee.

Wheat is well filled. All crop prospects are simply immense. Samuel Taylor has been sick with a fever.

The Barker hay is being pressed and carried at Gardner by Hills and Tany.

Mrs. C. K. Davies and little daughter Ruth went Wednesday to visit friends at Beatrice, and attend the Chautauque assembly.

Society Notices.

LEBANON LODGE No. 52, A. F. & A. M. Regular meeting 21 Wednesday in each month. All brethren invited to attend. C. J. GARLOW, W. M. G. S. H. BRIDGES, Sec'y.

WILDE LODGE No. 44, I. O. O. F. Regular meeting every second and fourth Thursdays of the month, 7:30 p. m., at I. O. O. F. Hall, Thirtieth street. Regular attendance very desirable, and all visiting brethren are cordially invited to meet with us. 2623-24

ROBANTZ CHURCH OF LATTER-DAY Saints hold regular services every Sunday at 10 a. m., prayer meetings on Wednesday evening at their chapel, corner of North street and Pacific Avenue. All are cordially invited.

GERMAN REFORMED CHURCH—Sunday School at 9:30 a. m. Church every Sunday at 11:00 a. m. Christian evening at 7:30 p. m. Ladies Aid Society every first Thursday of the month at the church. 1400-34

COLUMBUS MARKETS.

Wheat, @ bushel	50 1/2
Corn, shelled, @ bushel	32 1/2
Oats, @ bushel	21 1/2
Rye, @ bushel	45 1/2
Barley, @ bushel	25 1/2
Hogs, @ cwt.	4 45 1/2 4 35
Fat cattle, @ cwt.	3 50 1/2 4 25
Potatoes, @ bushel	50 1/2 60
Butter, @ lb.	12 1/2 14
Eggs, @ dozen.	7 1/2

Markets corrected every Tuesday afternoon.

Miscellaneous for best photos. Some fine pictures at Herrick's. 3t Did you ever try